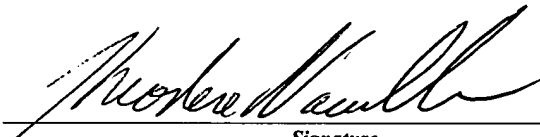



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)				Docket No. 25,416	
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Invention: STENT DELIVERY APPARATUS AND METHOD					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14 -	21 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-5425. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. </div> <div style="text-align: right;"> <div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 5px; transform: rotate(-5deg); display: inline-block;"> RECEIVED JAN 30 2004 TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700 </div> </div> </div> <div style="margin-top: 20px;"> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 40%;">  <p style="text-align: center;">_____ Signature</p> <p>Theodore Naccarella, Esquire Registration No. 33,023 Synnestvedt & Lechner LLP 2600 Aramark Tower 1101 Market Street Philadelphia, PA 19107 Telephone: (215) 923-4466 Facsimile: (215) 923-2189</p> </div> <div style="width: 40%;"> <p>Dated: January 23, 2004</p> </div> </div> </div>					
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p>cc:</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%; border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 1/23/2004 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>_____ Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</p> <p>Diane A. Sears Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</p> </div> </div> </div>					